

July 31, 2008

# **Interstate 10 Construction Update**

Bullard Avenue to open on Friday, Dysart Road closure begins next week

(Listen to an audio report of upcoming work)

#### **Upcoming Restrictions**

This week, bridge construction continues with scheduled restrictions as part of the I-10 improvement project. Bullard Avenue has been closed underneath I-10 since Monday and will open to traffic Friday, Aug. 1 at 4 p.m. The northbound closure of 107th Avenue underneath I-10 will continue for the next three to four weeks and Dysart Road will begin a weekday closure on Tuesday, Aug. 5 for one to two weeks.

Construction crews will continue bridge work at these interchanges in order to accommodate future lanes within the median of I-10. Drivers are encouraged to use adjacent interchanges as bridge construction continues. Business access will remain open during each interchange closure or restriction.

### **Project Information**

The I-10 improvement project will provide additional lanes between Verrado Way and Loop

101 (Agua Fria Freeway). The freeway expansion includes widening the existing median and adding outside lanes to improve east/west traffic flow in the West Valley.

This project is one of the first elements of the Regional Transportation Plan and is funded through a voter-approved sales tax to improve and construct new transportation options in Maricopa County through 2025. More information on the Regional Transportation Plan is available at <a href="https://www.azdot.gov/ValleyFreeways">www.azdot.gov/ValleyFreeways</a>.

While ADOT strives to inform the public about planned freeway restrictions, during any complex construction project, there is a possibility that unscheduled closures or restrictions may occur. Please visit our <a href="Web site">Web site</a> for the most current information about planned and ongoing I-10 restrictions.

Here's an overview of scheduled restrictions on Interstate 10:

#### 107th Avenue

Northbound lanes on 107th Avenue underneath I-10 will continue to be closed for the next three to four weeks. A single southbound lane will remain open to traffic. Motorists are encouraged to use adjacent I-10 interchanges. On- and off-ramps and business access will remain open during the closure and restriction. View Map

### **Interstate 10 at Estrella/Pebble Creek Parkway**

Thursday, July 31 - Friday, Aug. 1

10 p.m. – 4 a.m.

I-10 eastbound between Estrella/Pebble Creek Parkway and Bullard Avenue will be restricted to one lane overnight on Thursday, July 31 for bridge work.

#### **Bullard Avenue**

Friday, Aug. 1

4 p.m.

Bullard Avenue underneath I-10 will reopen Friday afternoon at 4 p.m.

#### **Interstate 10 at Dysart Road**

Sunday, Aug. 3 - Monday, Aug. 4

10 p.m. – 4 a.m.

I-10 eastbound between Bullard Avenue and Dysart Road will be restricted to one lane overnight on Sunday, Aug. 3 for bridge work.

## **Dysart Road**

Tuesday, Aug. 5 - Friday, Aug. 8

1 a.m. – 4 a.m.

Dysart Road underneath I-10 will be closed Tuesday, Aug. 5 at 1 a.m. to Friday, Aug. 8 at 4 a.m. for bridge work. Motorists are encouraged to use adjacent I-10 interchanges. On- and off-ramps and business access will remain open during the closure. View Map

### **Interstate 10 at Dysart Road**

Wednesday, Aug. 6 – Thursday, Aug. 7 9 p.m. – 5 a.m.

I-10 westbound between Dysart and Litchfield roads will be restricted to one lane overnight on Wednesday, Aug. 6 for bridge work.

#### **Avondale Boulevard**

Thursday, Aug. 7 – Friday, Aug. 8 9 p.m. – 4:30 a.m.

Avondale Boulevard underneath I-10 will be closed overnight on Thursday, Aug. 7 for bridge work. Motorists are encouraged to use adjacent I-10 interchanges. On- and off-ramps and business access will remain open during the closure. View Map

#### **Interstate 10 at Avondale Boulevard**

Thursday, Aug. 7 – Friday, Aug. 8 10 p.m. – 4 a.m.

I-10 westbound at Avondale Boulevard will be restricted to one lane overnight on Thursday, Aug. 7 for bridge work.

An audio podcast outlining this week's I-10 Traffic Alert can be downloaded from the ADOT Web site.

- For general information about I-10 improvements, contact the I-10 project hotline at **602.288.9919** or <u>ADOT@policydevelopmentgroup.com</u>.
- For information on construction activities, contact Lars Jacoby at 602.712.7176 or LJacoby@azdot.gov.
- For traffic updates across Arizona, visit ADOT's Travel Information Site at <a href="https://www.az511.gov">www.az511.gov</a> or call **5-1-1**

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